

Red-belted Polypore *Fomitopsis pinicola* (Swartz) P. Karsten



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Fomitopsidaceae

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ID: Top various colors (greenish/brownish/blackish but reddish near margin).

Habitat: Solitary, groups. On living conifers (also hardwoods).

Fruiting Body: 2.8 – 15" [7 – 38 cm]

Variouly colored (greenish-gray/grayish-brown/blackish-brown). Shelf-/hoof-shaped. Concentrically furrowed (perennial). Hard. Finely cracked/smooth. Typically reddish near margin; margin creamy yellow, thick, rounded, covered w/ sticky reddish-brown resin. Flesh creamy-white/pale brown (<1.5" [4 cm]), corky/woody.

Pores: Creamy-white, bruises yellow. Circular. (3 – 5/mm).

Spores: Whitish.

Frequency: Occasional.

Locations: HENPV, MCHPV, RKBPR.

Notes: Mycobank 101927.

References: Bar 142. BBF 388, 11. BBH 264fn. Bni 446. K&M 178. Lin 459, 531. Phi 309. Roo 373. Stu 334.